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Sir:

Concurrently herewith, applicant has entered into the U.S. national phase of the above-identified international application under 35 U.S.C. §371.

During the course of international preliminary examination, Examiner Eric Winakur had found all of the claims to meet the PCT criteria under Article 33(1)-(4) as to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability. A copy of the international preliminary examination report is enclosed.

It is therefore submitted that the claims on file in this application are presently in condition for allowance under U.S. practice.

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.496(b), it is requested that this application be taken up out of order.

Respectfully submitted,

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